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David D. GOODMAN

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For: VIDEO TRANSMISSION AND CONTROL SYSTEM UTILIZING INTERNAL TELEPHONE LINES

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure provisions of 37 CFR § 1.56, there is hereby provided certain information which the Examiner may consider material to the examination of the subject U.S. patent application. It is requested that the Examiner make this information of record if it is deemed material to the examination of the subject application.

1. Enclosures accompanying this Information Disclosure Statement are:

- 1a. ☒ Form PTO-1449.
- 1b. ☒ List of Copending Applications (ATTACHMENT 1(b), hereto).
- 1c. ☒ Copy(ies) of IDS citation(s), except for U.S. Patents and U.S. Patent Application publications.
- 1d. ☒ Copies of docket sheets from Inline Connection Corp. v. AOL Time Warner Inc. and America Online, Inc., D. Del., No. 02-272 (MPT) Pleadings, Vols. 1-11 (16 pages).
- 1e. ☒ English language translation (complete, Abstract or relevant portion(s)) attached to non-English language publications as indicated on the attached Form PTO-1449.
- 1f. ☐ Explanations of Relevancy of References (ATTACHMENT 1(f), hereto) for providing a concise explanation of non-English publications.
- 1g. ☐ List of Additional Submitted Documents (ATTACHMENT 1(g), hereto).
- 1h. ☒ Identification of Litigation Regarding Related Patents.

2. ☒ This Information Disclosure Statement is filed under 37 CFR § 1.97(b):

*(Check either Item 2a or 2b or 2c or 2d)*

- 2a. ☐ Within three months of the filing date of a national application;
- 2b. ☐ Within three months of the date of entry of the national stage as set forth in § 1.491 in an international application.
- 2c. ☐ Before the mailing of a first Office Action on the merits; or

- 2d. ☒ Before the mailing of a first Office Action after the filing of a Request for Continued Examination under § 1.114.

3. ☐ This Information Disclosure Statement is filed under 37 CFR § 1.97(c) after the period specified in paragraph 2 above but before the mailing date of any of a Final Office Action under § 1.113, a Notice of Allowance under § 1.311 or an action that otherwise closes prosecution in the application, AND  
(Check either Item 3a or 3b; Item 3b to be checked if any reference known for more than 3 months)
- 3a. ☐ The § 1.97(e) Statement in Item 5 below is applicable; OR
- 3b. ☐ The \$180.00 fee set forth in 37 CFR § 1.17(p) is:  
☐ enclosed.  
☐ to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-3935.
4. ☐ This Information Disclosure Statement is filed under 37 CFR § 1.97(d) after the period specified in paragraph 3 above, but on or before payment of the Issue Fee, AND
- 4a. ☐ The § 1.97(e) Statement in Item 5 below is applicable; AND
- 4b. ☐ The \$180.00 fee set forth in 37 CFR § 1.17(p) is:  
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5. ☐ Statement under § 1.97(e) (applicable if Item 3a or Item 4a is checked)  
(Check either Item 5a or 5b)
- 5a. ☐ In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.97(e)(1), it is stated that each item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement.
- 5b. ☐ In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.97(e)(2), it is stated that no item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application and, to the knowledge of the person signing the certification after making reasonable inquiry, no item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was known by any individual designated in § 1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement.
6. ☐ This is a continuation/divisional/continuation-in-part application under 37 CFR § 1.53(b).  
(Check appropriate Items 6a and/or 6b)
- 6a. ☐ Copies of the publications listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 which were previously cited in prior application Serial No. \_\_, filed on \_\_, and which is relied on for an earlier effective filing date for the subject application under 35 U.S.C. § 120, have been omitted pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.98(d).
- 6b. ☐ Copies of the publications listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 which were not previously cited in prior application Serial No. \_\_, filed on \_\_, and which is relied on for an earlier effective filing date for the subject application under 35 U.S.C. § 120, are provided herewith.
7. ☐ This is a Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR § 1.114.  
(Check either Item 7a or 7b)
- 7a. ☐ The Issue Fee has not been paid.
- 7b. ☐ A Petition to Withdraw from issue under 37 CFR § 1.313(c) is filed concurrently herewith or has been granted. A Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR § 1.114, after payment of the Issue Fee, is proper in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.114(a), respectively.

8. ☐ This is a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.

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- 8a. ☐ This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR § 1.97(f) supplements the Information Disclosure Statement filed on \_\_\_\_\_. A bona fide attempt was made to comply with 37 CFR § 1.98, but inadvertent omissions were made. These omissions have been corrected herein. Accordingly, additional time is requested so that this Supplemental IDS can be considered as if properly filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
- 8b. ☐ This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is timely filed within one (1) month of the Notice under 37 CFR §§ 1.97 and 1.98, mailed \_\_\_\_\_.

9. ☒ In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.98, a concise explanation of what is presently understood to be the relevance of each non-English language publication is:

(Check appropriate Items 9a, 9b, 9c and/or 9d)

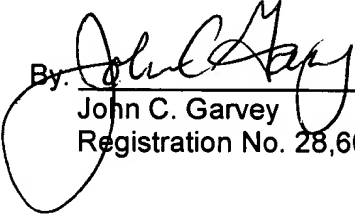
- 9a. ☐ satisfied for the non-English language publication(s) cited on the enclosed "English language version of the search report or action which indicates the degree of relevance found by the foreign office". (See MPEP § 609, Minimum Requirements for an Information Disclosure Statement, Part A(3): Concise Explanation of Relevance, 8th Ed., Rev. 2)
- 9b. ☐ set forth in the application.
- 9c. ☒ satisfied for the non-English language publication(s) indicated on the attached Form PTO-1449 as having an English language translation (complete or relevant portion(s)) attached thereto.
- 9d. ☐ enclosed as Attachment 1(e), hereto.

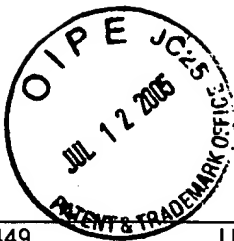
10. No admission is made that the information cited in this Statement is, or is considered to be, material to patentability nor a representation that a search has been made (other than search report(s) from a counterpart foreign application or a PCT International Search Report, if submitted herewith). 37 CFR §§ 1.97(g) and (h).
11. The Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fee required under 37 CFR § 1.17 for this Information Disclosure Statement to Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

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	12	Complaint for Injunctive Relief and Damages for Infringement of United States Patent Nos. 6,243,446; 6,236,718; and 5,844,596 (4/12/02)		
	13	Answer and Counterclaims of Defendants AOL Time Warner Inc. and America Online, Inc. (6/24/02)		
	14	America Online Inc.'s Responses to Inline Connection Corp.'s First Set of Interrogatories (App. A, Ex. B, App. D) (2/28/03)		
	15	Defendant America Online Inc.'s Responses to Plaintiff Inline Connection Corp.'s First Set of Requests for Admissions, Second Set of Interrogatories and Second Set of Requests for Production of Documents (2/28/03)		
	16	America Online, Inc.'s Supplemental Responses to Inline Connection Corp.'s First Set of Interrogatories (Nos. 13, 14 and 20) (4/28/03)		
	17	Second Amended Answer and Counterclaims of Defendants AOL Time Warner Inc. and America Online, Inc., (5/16/03)		
	18	America Online, Inc.'s Second Supplemental Responses to Inline Connection Corp.'s First Set of Interrogatories, Ex.'s A-D (6/11/03)		
	19	Joint Submission Regarding Claim Construction (Ex. 3, App. A) (7/15/03)		
	20	Inline's Opening <i>Markman</i> Brief (8/4/03)		

	21	Defendants' Memorandum of Law on Claim Construction (8/4/03)		
	22	Defendant's Motion for Summary Judgment of Non-Infringement Or in the Alternative, for Summary Judgment of Invalidity for Failure to Comply with the Written Description Requirement; Defendants' Joint Opening Brief in Support of Their Motion for Summary Judgment of Non-Infringement Or in the Alternative, for Summary Judgment of Invalidity for Failure to Comply with the Written Description Requirement (8/8/03)		
	23	Inline's Responsive <i>Markman</i> Brief; Declaration of Charles L. Jackson in Support of Inline's Responsive <i>Markman</i> Brief (8/21/03)		
	24	Inline's <i>Markman</i> Presentation; Tutorial by Dr. Charles Jackson		
	25	AOL's & EarthLink's Technology Tutorial & <i>Markman</i> Presentation, (8/28/03)		
	26	In the Matter of Inline Connection Corporation v. AOL Time Warner, Incorporated (Transcript of <i>Markman</i> hearing) (8/28/03)		
	27	Letter to Judge Thyng from Frederick L. Cottrell III offering supplemental briefing and enclosing proposed claim construction (9/8/03)		
	28	Letter to Judge Thyng from Donald F. Parsons responding to 9/8/03 Cottrell letter re supplemental briefing, enclosing proposed claim construction, Waring article and decision in <i>E-Pass Technologies, Inc. v. 3Com Corp.</i> (9/12/03)		
	29	Memorandum (Judge Thyng) ( <i>Markman</i> ), (1/27/04)		
	30	Inline's Motion for Reargument And/Or Reconsideration of the Court's Construction of the Phrase "A High Frequency Band of Frequencies Above the Highest Frequency of the Telephone Voice Band" (Ex's A-C) (2/10/04)		
	31	Defendants' Response to Inline's Motion for Reargument And/Or Reconsideration of the Court's Construction of the Phrase "A High Frequency Band of Frequencies Above the Highest Frequency of The Telephone Voice Band" (3/2/04)		
	32	Defendants' Joint Revised Brief in Support of Their Motion for Summary Judgment of Non-Infringement and for Summary Judgment of Invalidity for Failure to Comply with the Written Description Requirement (3/8/04)		
	33	Inline Connection Corp.'s Opposition to Defendants' Revised Motion for Summary Judgment (4/6/04) Declaration of Dr. Charles L. Jackson, (4/6/04)		
	34	Inline's Opening Brief in Support of its Motion for Partial Summary Judgment of Infringement by America Online and Earthlink on the Asserted Claims of the '596, '446, and '585 Patents (Attachments 1-3) (4/19/04) Declaration by Dr. Charles L. Jackson In Support of Inline's Opening Brief in Support of its Motion for Partial Summary Judgment of Infringement by America Online and Earthlink on the Asserted Claims of the '596, '446, and '585 Patents (4/16/04)		
	35	Defendants' Reply Brief in Support of Their Revised Motion for Summary Judgment of Non-Infringement and for Summary Judgment of Invalidity for Failure to Comply with the Written Description Requirement (4/26/04)		

	36	Defendants' Opposition to Inline's Motion for Partial Summary Judgment of Infringement (Ex.'s A, B) (5/20/04)		
	37	Inline's Reply to Defendants' Opposition to Inline's Motion for Partial Summary Judgment of Infringement by America Online and EarthLink of Asserted Claims of the ' 596, ' 446 and ' 585 Patents (6/9/04)		
	38	Memorandum Opinion (Judge Thyng) (10/14/04)		
	39	Chow et al., "A Multi-Drop In-House ADSL Distribution Network", IEEE, 1994**		
	40	International Search Report from PCT/US00/15028. September 28, 2000**		

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<p><b>*EXAMINER:</b> Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.</p>	

\* Applicants are unable to locate a copy of this reference, despite diligent efforts to do so.

\*\* Applicants are currently unable to locate a copy of this reference and will provide a copy at a later time if a copy is located.



## ATTACHMENT 1(g)

<b>LIST OF ADDITIONAL SUBMITTED DOCUMENTS</b>	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	APPLICATION NO.
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The following document(s) is/are listed in accordance with the duty of disclosure provisions of 37 CFR § 1.56, so that the Examiner may consider same should he deem any thereof to be material to examination of the subject application.

It is requested that the Examiner acknowledge his consideration of document(s) below-listed by initialing same in the space provided adjacent each such application and that the Examiner sign and date this form at the bottom thereof to confirm such consideration having been given.

This submission in no way represents an admission that any of the information listed herein constitutes prior art with respect to the subject application; and unless and until such prior art status is established, this submission is not a request that the information presented herein be printed on the face of any patent issuing from the subject application in which this information is being filed.

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**ATTACHMENT 1(b)****LIST OF COPENDING APPLICATIONS**

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The following copending U.S. patent applications are listed in accordance with the duty of disclosure provisions of 37 CFR § 1.56, so that the Examiner may consider same should he deem any thereof to be material to examination of the subject application. Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.98(a)(2)(iii), a copy of the identified copending applications, or that portion of the application which caused it to be listed, is provided, UNLESS DOMESTIC PRIORITY IS CLAIMED THEREON UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 120 AND/OR THE APPLICATION IS PUBLISHED. 37 CFR § 1.98(a)(2)(II),(III) AND 1.98(3)(d)(1).

It is requested that the Examiner acknowledge his consideration of application(s) below-listed by initialing same in the space provided adjacent each such application and that the Examiner sign and date this form at the bottom thereof to confirm such consideration having been given.

This submission in no way represents an admission that any of the information listed herein constitutes prior art with respect to the subject application; and unless and until such prior art status is established, this submission is not a request that the information presented herein be printed on the face of any patent issuing from the subject application in which this information is being filed.

**U.S. PATENT APPLICATION DOCUMENTS**

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**ATTACHMENT 1(h)**

<b>IDENTIFICATION OF LITIGATION REGARDING RELATED PATENTS</b>	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	APPLICATION NO.
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The subject application is related to the following patents.

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The above related patents are involved in litigation in the United States District Court for the District of Delaware as follows:

- (1) Inline Connection Corporation v. AOL Time Warner Incorporated and
- (2) Inline Corporation v. Earthlink, Inc. (Docket Nos. CIV. A-02-272-MPT, CIV. A-02-477-MPT)

The above related patents are also involved in litigation in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia as Inline Connection Corporation v. Verizon Internet Services, Inc., et al. (Docket No. Civ. A. 2:05CV205).